# Stock Market Needs a Tonic to Maintain Advancing Trend---Local Gas Situation Better MRS. SCOTT LOCATES

# NEW YORK STOCKS WERE IRREGU- TOP PRICES PAID LAR-EARLY GAINS WERE LOST. MARKET STEADIER.

(Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs &

o., bankers and brokers, Hibbs Building,

ington Stock Exchange, and Chicago Board

SALE OF STOCKS BY HOURS.

THE CURB MARKET.

Quotations furnished by E. F. Hutton Co., members New York Stock Ex-

change, G. Bowie Chipman, manager,

ROAST LEFT IN OVEN "ROAST" ALL AROUND

Shares to 12 m., 430,800, Shares to 1 p. m., 511,300.

1301 F street northwest.

NEW YORK, April 14-2 p. m.-Read-ing came very strongly in the last half of the second hour of the afternoon, rising to 139, or nearly to the top of the day's record. Union Pacific was steady at 187%. Little Steel rose to 51%, St. Paul to 149%, and Southern Pacific to

NEW YORK, April 14-1 p. m.-After a poor start the market railled shortly after the opening, and gains of modest proportions were scored here and there throughout the list, but with the best show of strength in the high-grade shares to the neglect of the second grades. Exception must be made for Denver and Rio Grande, which was dededly active, but with rather more evicent of profit taking here than elsewhere throughout the list.

The market bulls less easily, and this is nothing but natural, the more so as some commission houses have been counseling their customers against any further following of an advancing mar-ket. But for all this it does not look as if the upward movement had cul-minated. The ease of the money mar-ket is still the most potent argument for higher prices, this and the fact that the insiders, the Harriman following, have not let go of their holdings. The bulls have faith in the future of the market just as they have faith in the future of the country.

## Tonic Needed.

Unquestionably the market needs a tonic to assist in its uyward movement, and the best tonic at this time would be improving crop reports. Business is mproving and is bound to improve when the unsettling tariff is out of the way.

The strength in Missouri Pacific and Denver shares is said to be on the heory that Jacob Schiff had succeeded in arranging for the sale of a block of Missouri Pacific bonds. These stocks held well, Missouri Pacific rising 1½ and olding % of a point net gain. Denver se a point, but the profit-taking sent back again. Baltimore and Ohio, hesapeake and Ohio, Brooklyn Rapid Fransit, Atchison, Rock Island, and ransit, Atchison, Rock Island, any stocks held steadily with slight etterment or firm prices. Gould stocks eem to be finding a little more favors evidenced by the continued strength wabash and the rise of nearly 2 toints in Western Union Telegraph

Reading is acting very well. There does not appear to be the same nervousness that there was some time ago over a possible adverse commodity decision. The stock held strong in the yielding market of Tuesday and rose a point this morning or from a close at 138 to 1391/s, with a reaction to 1381/s and recovery to 1381/s.

Breaks In Noon Hour.

The market moved along nicely until ear midday, when signs of a slump ppeared, and throughout the noon our the profit-taking was plainly in vidence to such an extent that most of the gains melted away, and Southern Pracific lost % net, while most of he list was close to the final figures of yesterday.

Union Pacific, the leader in the earlier Union Pacific, the leader in the earlier ise from 187% to 188%, went back to 188%, went back to The market moved along nicely until near midday, when signs of a slump appeared, and throughout the noon evidence to such an extent that most of the gains melted away, and Southern Pacific lost % net, while most of

In list was close to the final figures of yesterday.

Union Pacific, the leader in the earlier ise from 187% to 188%, went back to 187% and then added 4½ point net gain of its price. St. Paul was weak. Northern Pacific lost %. Reading held a fractional gain, and the list was close to inside figures and very dull when the 10 clock bell tapped.

In the industrials, Steel common, the figures and very dull when the 10 clock bell tapped.

In the industrials, Steel common, the figures and very dull when the 10 clock bell tapped.

In the industrials Steel common is the figures and very dull when the 10 clock bell tapped.

In the industrials, Steel common is the figures and very dull when the 10 clock bell tapped.

In the industrials Steel common is the figures and very dull when the 10 clock bell tapped.

In the industrials Steel common is the preferred was dull all session at 114½-61144.

In the industrials steel common is the figures and reproduce to the common is the preferred was dull all session at 114½-61144.

In the common is the preferred was dull all session at 114½-61144.

In the common is the preferred was dull all session at 114½-61144.

In the common is the preferred was dull all session at 114½-61144.

In the common is the preferred was dull all session at 114½-61144.

In the common is the preferred was dull all session at 114½-61144.

In the common is the preferred was dull all session at 114½-61144.

In the common is the preferred was dull all session at 114½-61144.

In the common is the preferred was dull all session at 114½-61144.

In the common is the preferred was dull all session at 114½-61144.

In the industrials, the eleader in the earlier figures and very dull when the last was dull all sessions at 114½-61144.

In the industrials is the leader in the earlier figures and very dull when the last was dull all sessions at 114½-61144.

In the industrials is the leader in the earlier figures and very dull when the last was dull all sessions at 114½-61144.

In the industrial Trace was 181 kg 181 list

# GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Bid.	Asked.
U. S. Con. 2's, Reg. 1930 1011/2	1021/4
U. S. Con. 2's, Cou. 1930101%	20024
U. S. 3's, Reg. 1908-181011/2	102%
U. S. 3's, Cou. 1908-18	10279
U. S. 4's, Reg. 1925119	119%
U. S. 4's, Cou. 1925	***
reg., 1936101	101%
D. C. 3-65's, 1924	
P. I. land pur. 4's, 1914-34100 Panama, 1938's	1011/2

## CONTRASTS MADE IN MEN'S GREATNESS Cumberland Ely ..... 734 Chicago Subway ..... 27

The bust of Longfellow fills a niche in Westminster Abey. Can one of us imagine that Harriman will find a niche there? Every young student in Europe has the words of Walt Whitman on his lips; he knows Poe and he knows Enerson. Yet to link industrialism with the name of one of these three would be a profanation. Jay Cooke in his day was a fiancier even larger in the public eye than Harrinan. Cooke was one of the chief figures in the financing of the Government during the dark days of the civil war, a work compared to which the railroad career of Harriman does not yet compare. Still how many of the students of this day and hour know of Cooke and of the tremendously important work he did?—New York Press. has the words of Walt Whitman on his

## WOOLLY ART.

Frederick Remington, the illustrator, off from the oven in which she had fresh from a Western trip on which he had been making studies of Indians

fresh from a Westein trip on which he had been making studies of Indians and cowpunchers and things outdoors, met an art editor who insisted upon dragging him up to an exhibition of very impressionistic pictures.

"You don't seem enthusiastic," remarked the editor as they were coming out. "Didn't you like them?"
Remington, remembering what he had been told as a boy, counted ten before replying. Then:

"Like 'em? Say! I've got two maiden aunts in New Rochelle that can knit better pictures than those!"—Everybody's Magazine.

SEAWEED STEALS OYSTERS.

A seaweed has invaded the oyster

## A seaweed has invaded the oyster beds of France and carried off 40,000 FAMILY NAGGING oysters. It has carried them off bodily,

The minute seeds of this weed float up the English channel in the current of the gulf stream, they settle on oysters in the Breton beds of Morbhan, Quiberon and Belle, and they grow to the size of a duck's egg.

They are full of water, but at maturity the water evaporates, and air takes its place. The egg-shaped seaweed is then a balloon and like a balloon, it lifts its oyster from the bottom and bears it out to sea.—Philadeiphia Bulletin.

SPOILED RELIGION

An Atchison man who recently "confessed religion" and became a member of the courch says his family, and not his associates downtown, are responsible for the backsliding that followed within three weeks. He says his wite and the girls were in a conspiracy to impose upon him, to work him for money, to make him do more work around the house, and submit to all social social submit to all social social submit in the courch says his family, and not his associates downtown, are responsible for the backsliding that followed within three weeks. He says his wite and the girls were in a conspiracy to impose upon him, to work him for money, to make him do more work around the house, and submit to all as a thief would do. Gorat.

LONDON, April 14.—Joseph Martin, to the Breton beds of Morbihan.

Quiberon and Belle, and they grow to the size of a duck's egg.

They are full of water, but at maturity the water evaporates, and air takes its place. The egg-shaped seaweed is then a balloon and like a balloon. It lifts its oyster from the bottom and bears it out to sea.—Philadeiphia Bulletin.

MISSOURI WISDOM.

When you get sore on the world, don't forget that it will not hurt the world at all, while it will do you inconceivable harm.—Lamar, Mo., Democrat.

Receipts Are Light and Trad-NEW YORK EXCHANGE ing Brisk-Eggs Selling at 20 Cents.

Her memory was extraordinary, and she frequently told in detail of occurrences of her childhood, memories of United When a girl of sixteen she came to New York to visit relatives, and especially to see General Lafayette, who was then visiting the Unite dStates. Mrs. Hunt often told of her presentation to the distinguished visitor at a reception, and said he had cordially shaken her hand and spoken with her for a moment.

for a moment.
When the civil war began Mr. Hunt had seven sons and three of them took up arms for the Federadl cause. Her husband died in 1961 and her sons and two sons-in-law suffered wounds in the

two sons-near smilered would have war.

Until last week she never had any serious illness that any of her grand-children can remember. On Good Priday she was attacked by a severe cold and went to bed. She arose on Saturday and went about the simple duties she imposed upon herself, but was compelled to return to her bed, and bronchitis developed, reaching a fatal termination.

### The minister had just finished a lit-tle opening talk to the children pre-York paratory to the morning service, when Mrs. Berkeley suddenly realized, with SOLDIERS STOP GIRL, all the agony of a careful housewife, FACE COURT-MARTIAL

SPOILED RELIGION The affair ment here.

# GAS SHARES SHOW BETTER TONE. TRACTIONS ALSO FIRMER. LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

It was evident that the local influ-Traction 5's without bringing out any nces governing the market for Washngton Gas shares were in a mor ington Gas shares were in a more healthy condition and the change was quickly reflected in the better demand for the stock and a rise to 63%, or nearly a point on the initial sale, and nearly a point on the initial sale, and thereafter to 70%, with more than one buyer of shares. In all sales of 170 shares were made. There was some gossip on 'Change anent the possibility of an increased dividend on which there is a decided division of opinion. The conservatives admit that in the present temper of Congress any increase in the dividend rate would be a plain case of breeding trouble.

Despite this reticence, however, it is generally understood that Harper & Co. will purchase Thomas L. Hume's interest in the banking business of Harper & Co. and in turn Mr. Hume will purchase the stock brokerage business of Harper & Co. Mr. Hume will probably take possession of his old offices in the Adams building, on the same floor with the Stock Exchange, having private wire connection with the New York house of Tracy & Co. With light receipts and fairly heavy buyer of shares. In all sales of 170

DID AND ASKED FRI	CLO
GOVERNMENT BONDS.	
	1021/4
	116 104 11114

RAILROAD BONDS. MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.
Capital Traction 135½
Wash. Ry. & Elec. com 42¾
Wash. Ry. & Elec. pfd. 90¾
Wash. Al. & Mt. Ver. 41
N. & W. Steamboat 280
Washington Gas. 50%
Georgetown Gas. 50%
\*Bell Tel. of Pa. 102¼

TYPE MACHINE STOCKS. 

MINING STOCKS Greene Cananea...... 10% Mitchell Mining..... NATIONAL BANK STOCKS. 

180 Farmers & Mechanics...... 310 Metropolitan Washington TRUST COMPANY STOCKS. 

Union Savings ..... Dime Savings Bank .... FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS. | Mischellar | Mis

## RECEIVED HIS CUE FROM POMPOUS ONE MOISTURE MAKES

SOLDIERS SIOP GIRL,
FACE COURT-MARTIAL

Regulars at Fort Mott, N. J., Held on Two Serious

Charges.

SALEM, N. J., April 14—Teld without the deserting his baggy cheeke, his purfy cys, the three fat rubles in his glean in gashir front, and other evidences of the street, and the property of the street of the street, and the street, A large and important man sauntered into the dining room of the hotel Quickerbocker. Eight waiters, instantly

about their social position, because noody, no matter how exalted a sphere they occupy in the world, can be sure that they do not come from very humble ancestors. And the ancestors of some very great folk have been very

To start with as exalied an example as possible, it may be gently hinted be arranged just prior to the conventibat the versatile "War Lord," the

The Rothschilds.

The first Rothchild of whom menschild at all to start with. His original name was Meyer Anselm Bauer. name was Meyer Anselm Bauer.

He was the son of a small Jewish tradesman. When quite young he set up for himself as a pawnbroker and moneylender at Frankfort-on-Main, in Germany.

As a sign to be set up over the door of his establishment he chose a red shield—which, in German, is Rothschild.

For business reasons he took the name for his own.

shield—which, in German, is and For business reasons he took the name for his own.

He won for himself so sp'endid a reputation for integrity that when the French revolution was threatening to break out many of the French aristocracy smuggled their plate and jewels out of France and sent the articles to Rothserlid. Fearing that he might be robbed, he buried the precious consignments in his back garden.

The depositors, of course, hoped to redeem their property later on. But many of them perished on the guillotine, and the valuables were never redeemed. They went a long way toward setting of the mands of the Mothodist ministry, and solid foundation the fortunes of the ex-pawnbroker.

King's Descent.

He won for himself so sp'endid a reputation for integrity that when the formulation and Presby-teinance and Presby-te

They went a long on a solid foundat the ex-pawnbroker.

The millionaire, Lord Brassey, belongs to a family the fortunes of which were founded by "Tom" Brassey, who started life as a navvy and helped, with pick and spade, to construct the first railway in England.

Many people Imagine that the Duke of Fife, King Edward's son-in-law, whose family name is Duff, is descended from that famous Macduff who figures in Shakespeare's "Macbeth." But he isn't.

The following bullding permits were seven to dealy to charles J. Walker, for six three-story brick dwellings from 1218 to 1228 Euclid street northwest. Architect, A. H. Beers; builder, J. R. Halslip. Estimated washington Railroad Company, for one one-story and basement brick passenger station at Seventh and C streets southwest. Architect, W. H. Cookman; James McGraw. Estimated

he isn't.

A little more than two centuries ago there traveled through Scotland a "canny" old peddler. He used to sell anything that would bring him profit. He carried a creel or basket on his back. And he was known as "Creely Duff." He picked up quite a lot of money and founded a family.

It is from this "Creely Duff" that the husband of the princess royal is descended.—Parson's Weekly.

A little more than two centuries ago therefore the station at Seventh and C streets southwest. Architect, U. H. Cookman; builder, James McGraw. Estimated cost, \$23,000.

To C. H. Fowler, for one one-story frame dwelling at Kane place, near Minnesota avenue northwest. Architect, O. H. Fowler; builder, Thomas Stokes. Estimated cost, \$300.

To J. O. Akers, for one one-story contracted cost, \$300.

To J. O. Akers, for one one-story contracted cost, \$300.

# ALL POPCORN POP

# HER HEADQUARTERS Great Damage Done in Accident in Virginia City

Administration Candidate for D. A. R. Head Arrives in Capital.

(Continued from First Page.)

ministration for registrar general, has declined to run, the announcement being made at a meeting of the Our Flag Chapter last night. The McLean ticket

members New York Brock Exchange, wat Charles, Bearbange, and Charles, Bearbange, Bearba

Mrs. Story in her fight for the office of president general. Mrs. Sherman's affair, it is explained, is entirely nonpar-tisan, and is for every member of the society, hundreds of whom have desired an opportunity of meeting the second

lady in the land.

Mrs. Sherman believed this could best that the versatile "War Lord," the German Kaiser, never mentions that the gentlemen who founded the house of Hohenzollern were robber barons of the Rhine.

One of the grandfathers of Cecil Rhodes, the "Colossus" of South Africa, was a milkman, who has been seen carrying round milk in the Hampstead road, in London, by people still living. The founder of Lord Rosebery's family was a respectable shopkeeper of Edinburgh, of whom, by the way the ex-prime minister is very proud.

The Rothschilds.

## WILL NOT CHANGE NAVAL CHAPLAINS

Secretary Meyer to Let Old Appointment Stand and Name

Methodist.

\$250.

To Fred Bachelder for one two-story frame dwelling in Howard street, between Grant and Sherman awenues; architect, William Clemmer; builder, Fred Bachelder; estimated cost, \$1,200.

To Lansburgh & Bro. to repair dwelling above store at 510 E street northwist; architect, O. G. Vogt; builder, R. S. Jennings; estimated cost. \$4,000.

## PETERSBURG HOTEL ANNEX COLLAPSES

PETERSBURG, Va., April 14 .- At 11

PETERSBURG, Va., April 14.—At 11 o'clock this morning the three-story brick annex of the Chesterfield Hotel. containing sixteen rooms and valued at \$10,000, and the brick store adjoining, occupied by J. O. James, a prominent shoe dealer, valued at \$10,000, and owned by Thomas F. Knock, of Petersburg, collapsed and are a complete wreck.

The Chesterfield Hotel is owned by John M. Manrahan. The sacond floor of the store, occupied by James, was used as a tailoring establishment by John N. Pearman, who estimates his loss at \$2,000. James carried a stock of between \$20,000 and \$40,000, which is ruined or badly damaged.

The collapse of the two buildings is said to have been due to the giving away of the walls three feet above the foundation between the annex of the

## SUICIDE IDENTIFIED.

JOSEPH MARTIN CANDIDATE. LISBON, April 14.—The government has decided to introduce a rigid system of inspection in Angola, West Africa, to put an end to the conditions of enforced labor among the native workers on the cocoa plantations, which have resulted in conditions akin to slavery.

FINANCIAL.

Under U. S. Treasury Supervision

# Each Day

You put off opening a Savings account delays by so much your opportunity of becoming financially independent.

Home Savings Bank 7th St. and Mass. Ave. N. W. Branches:

# DEPOSIT YOUR MONEY

7th and H Sts. N. E. 436 7th St. S

-in either of our three convenient-ly located banks and enjoy every possible banking advantage. Merchants & Mechanics Savings Bank, 10th & Pa. Ava.

7th and G sts .- 20th and Pa. ave.

# W.B. Hibbs & Co.

Hibbs Building

# Harper & Company, Bankers,

1415 G St. N. W General Commercial Bank-Mem-bers of the American Bankers' Association and Washington Stock

Association Exchange.

COR Nearly Fifty Years

-this company's banking dept. has

rendered the service demanded by the most careful depositors. Are YOU one of of our 28,000 depositors? 23 Same rate of interest paid on both large and small accounts.

National Savings & Trust Company Cor. 15th and New York Ave.

Capital and Surplus.....\$2,700,000 Resources over.....\$13,000,000

THIS BANK'S SERVICE

-embraces every a wantage consistent with conservative banking

E Special Dept. FOR LADIES. RIGGS NATIONAL RANK Pa. Ave. Opp. U. S. Treasury



methods. The suggestions we offer con-cerning profitable investments are appreciated by depositors.

Randle highlands is the same distance from Capitol as Dupont Circle. Lots and building sites from \$75 to \$1,000; easy payments.

U. S. REALTY COp. 7th and Pa. ave. N. W.